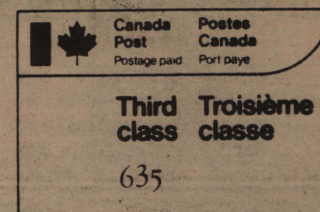




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NATIONAL
UNIVERSITIES WEEK



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Campus hosts a week of celebration



Birch-Jones: invites the community

After months of planning, students, faculty and staff at UVic are busy with last-minute details of National Universities Week (NUW) activities.

From Oct. 2 through 8, the whole community is invited to participate in everything from regular classroom lectures and mock trials to an old fashioned sports day and special 'taxpayer's luncheons.'

The week has been officially designated at the federal, provincial and municipal

levels as a week of nation-wide celebration of higher education.

UVic alumni co-ordinator Sonia Birch-Jones is co-ordinator of NUW in Victoria. She explains that events are designed to point out the essential role universities play in community, regional and national development.

"It is also an opportunity for the universities to say thank you to the people of Canada for the support they have shown for higher education," said Birch-Jones.

"Universities are essential to Canadian life and they will become even more important in the future. That's the reason for the week's motto, 'we have the future in minds'.

"It is with the help of universities that remedies will be found for medical and social ills; new advances will be made in forest conservation, computer technology and space research, and new authors and social critics will learn to express their ideas.

"Most importantly universities are where people develop the flexibility and imagination to seek new answers for the new problems we face."

Birch-Jones said the entire week at UVic has been planned with the public in mind. "We want to tell our story to the community. We want everyone to come to the campus, meet with students, faculty and staff and find out what we do.

"We also want them to have fun while they are here. It is truly a celebration."

The week kicks off with an old fashioned sports day Oct. 2 with the public invited to participate in such events as sack races, three-legged races and tugs-of-war. An exhibition basketball game featuring the four-time defending Canadian university champion UVic Vikings is also scheduled for the McKinnon Centre Oct. 2.

During Students' Day, Oct. 3, free coffee and doughnuts along with tours of the Student Union Building and a free special movie at mid-day are offered.

The public is invited to attend a lecture series on the history of the universities Oct. 3 and lectures in history in art.

There are music recitals by students in UVic's School of Music and the Royal Roads Military Band will perform.

President Dr. Howard Petch will hold an open reception for parents of prospective UVic students Oct. 4. High school principals throughout the area have been invited to meet the president, members of the Board of Governors and deans.

The Faculty of Law and the Department of Theatre have joined forces to present the trial of the infamous McLean Gang at New Westminster in 1880. The trial will be reproduced by faculty and students Oct. 4 and 6 in the Moot Court Room of the Begbie Building.

Faculty of Education classrooms will be open to the public Oct. 5 so that people can find out what is involved in training a teacher. Music classes in woodwinds sight-singing and theory will also be open. The

public is invited to sit in on rehearsals of the UVic Chamber Singers, University Orchestra and the Sonic Lab, Oct. 6.

Professors at UVic have arranged a series of panel discussions and open seminars for Oct. 7.

To find out what is being taught at UVic, the public is invited to become students for a day Oct. 8 and sample regular first-year classes in such areas as creative writing, early childhood education, women's studies, Japanese, environmental studies, computer science, psychology, criminal law and classics.

Science demonstrations and exhibits will be on display in University Centre all week. A special exhibition of loaned works of art by UVic alumni will be featured in the Maltwood Art Museum and Gallery on campus.

Among works on display is an oil painting of Windsor Castle by His Royal Highness, Prince Philip. Philip, an avid painter, qualifies as an alumnus after receiving an honorary degree from UVic.

There is also a 'take a taxpayer to lunch' campaign organized by faculty and staff on campus. University employees are being urged to bring a friend to campus for a special inexpensive luncheon and an explanation of what they do at the university.

"We have great co-operation from all areas of the campus community," said Birch-Jones. "We want the entire community to join in our celebration."

Health Services is busier than ever

Tucked behind the residences in the southeast corner of Parking Lot 5 is a small unassuming white building that gets busier every year.

It is the location of University Health Services which has grown to meet the needs of a rapidly growing student population at UVic.

There are now seven physicians, two psychiatrists, a nutritionist, a physiotherapist and four nurses on full or part-time appointments.

In 1982-83 there were 16,655 visits to Health Services for treatment of a variety of ailments ranging from flu to athletic injuries.

"We handle most of the ailments that a regular clinic off campus gets," says Dr. J.E. Petersen, director of Health Services. "What we don't see much are patients suffering from cancer or heart problems. The problems dealt with here are mainly those associated with the young."

While its isolated location means that many people don't know where Health Services is on campus, there has been enough business to warrant a recent expansion in staff and in the building.

Three examining rooms and a doctor's lounge were added earlier this year.

Health Services offers a number of special services for students.

There is an orthopedic sports medicine clinic on Tuesdays which deals with athletic injuries and an orthotics clinic where special insoles are prepared for athletes and joggers.

A full-time physiotherapist, Brian Gastaldi, has a clinic in the basement of the McKinnon Centre. In 1982-83, 3,000 appointments were made in physiotherapy.

"It's not surprising that we are so involved in sports medicine when you consider that there are about 500 extramural university athletes and many hundreds more involved in strenuous physical activity through intramural programs and jogging," says Petersen.

Also offered are the services of a dermatologist and behavior modification classes for the obese. Nutritionist Elspeth Charsley leads the classes which begin this term Sept. 27.

Interested students should register by Sept. 20 through Health Services.

This year Health Services is offering an eight-week program designed to help smokers kick the habit. (See story this issue).

Petersen said one-day workshops are also being planned for self-examination of breasts and birth control.

Health Services is open from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. with doctor's appointments from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. "It's best to phone ahead for an appointment but we also deal with students who walk in," said Petersen.

Health Services encourages staff and faculty to see their regular physician and will see them on an emergency basis only.

The clinic has a five-bed infirmary where students can be isolated if necessary.

While every day is busy, the staff deals with a large number of patients on Wednesday which has become known as "wart



Sutherland and Petersen: expanding the facility and the service

day". "We see students referred by physicians, to remove planter's warts," explains nurse Stephanie Sutherland.

Overseen by physicians, nurses remove warts with liquid nitrogen in a quick effective treatment. "We see two patients every 10 minutes and some Wednesdays we're

booked solidly," says Sutherland.

Health Services provides flu vaccine, at a cost, to students. Students wishing to obtain the vaccine, which offers "a good bit of protection against known flu viruses" according to Petersen, can sign up for the vaccine. It will be available this fall.

Looking for courses?

The Department of Political Science has been able to schedule two courses that were not available at the time of early registration when most students selected their courses.

"Public Policy Formation in Canada" (POLI 250) is scheduled for Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday at 10:30 a.m. during the Fall Term.

"Law and Politics" (POLI 220) is available during the Spring Term Mondays from 7 to 10 p.m.

Students are advised to register immediately if interested in these courses, which were scheduled after funds became available to hire sessional lecturers.

Kicking It

Here's an opportunity to give up a stinking, nasty, unhealthy and expensive habit.

University Health Services is sponsoring a free eight-week "kick-it" course for smokers. The course promises to show those addicted to the weed how to become non-smokers and stay that way.

Faculty, staff and students can register at University Health Services.

According to the B.C. Lung Foundation which has organized the course, the success rate is very high. Lael Appleton of the Foundation will present the course Tuesdays from 12:30 to 1:30 p.m. in the Student Union Building, beginning Sept. 27.

The course is limited to 12 participants, but smokers who really want to quit and are too late for this course have a second opportunity through "Operation Kick It", offered by Athletics and Recreation. This course will be offered later this fall.

Health Services is taking the names of those who are too late for the first course and advising them of other "kick it" courses available in Victoria. More information on locations and times of these courses is available from the B.C. Lung Association Office in Victoria at 598-1152.



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Chaplains sponsor Holocaust course

An eight-week course on the Holocaust, sponsored by Chaplains' Services starts Oct. 3.

"Facing up to the Holocaust" will be taught using books, films, discussion and theatre. Dr. Marlowe Anderson of Chaplains' Services and Dr. David Kirk (Sociology), an adjunct professor in the Faculty of Law, will present lectures in Room A248 of University Centre.

William Jacobs and J. Gardiner, two Victoria residents who are Holocaust survivors, will share their personal histories during the course.

Cost of the course is \$10 which includes the cost of a text. Enrolment is through the Chaplains' Office in University Centre, phone 721-8338.

Chaplains' Services explains that the course deals with a historical study of the Nazis' slaughter of millions of Jewish people and others during the 1940s and the antecedents of this slaughter. The course will not deal with Zionism or the current situation in the Middle East.

The course will be presented Mondays, except Thanksgiving Day Oct. 10, from 7:30 to 9:30 p.m. with enrolment limited to 20 students. There will be special readings from Holocaust literature and drama Oct. 30 in Room A144 of the MacLaurin Building as part of the course.

Faculty and staff have opportunity to get in shape

The Athletics and Recreation Department is encouraging faculty and staff to become "early birds", "nooners" and "happy hoofers".

Registrations for a fitness program for faculty and staff continue until Sept. 23 in the McKinnon Centre.

Recreation co-ordinator Wayne Pealo and fitness programmer Gord Miller explain that the goal of the fitness program is to encourage an active and healthy lifestyle, provide a safe approach to physical activity and provide a starting point for people interested in getting fit.

Early Bird Fitness begins at 7:30 a.m. and includes gentle stretching, jogging and moving to music.

At 12:10 the Hydra Gym Combo teaches men and women the correct procedure for using Hydra Gym equipment.

The Nooner is a lunch-time work-out to lively music. The Happy Hoofers running club meets every day at noon outside the McKinnon Centre.

The Energizer is a work-out to lively music at 4:40 p.m.

Also offered is a fitness assessment and counselling program where stamina, strength, suppleness and body composition are measured. An appointment for the assessment and counselling can be made by calling local 8406.

letters

To the editor

The University of Victoria is justly proud of its very fine McKinnon Building, full of the best and the latest in athletic equipment and facilities. But more and more members of the university community are making use of the natural exercise facilities well suited both to the olympians and to the less athletic... that is, the sidewalk along the inner edge of the Ring Road and also the very pleasant chip trails through the woods outside the Ring Road. And just as naturally, an adhoc club is being formed of noon-time walkers and any-time joggers. Their business is that of keeping themselves fit and of enjoying the outdoors and the pleasant circuits at UVic. Anyone can join, the meetings are numerous but short, consisting simply of cheery "hello's", "hi's", and "how-are-you's", and there are no dues.

It's an ideal club to join.

Dr. Gren Mason
Physics Department

He was a rare blend of scholar and novelist



"He was one of those rare people who are successful both as a scholar and as a novelist. He was a major figure in the development of the Department of English at UVic and he served this entire university well."

With these words Dr. Peter Smith (Classics) paid tribute to Dr. John Peter of the English Department who died August 12 at the age of 61.

Peter came from the University of Manitoba to UVic's predecessor, Victoria College, in 1961. "I regarded the capture of John Peter as a feather in our cap," recalled Prof. Roger Bishop who retired from UVic in 1967 after 22 years as head of the English Department.

"He gave our department a national stature when he arrived."

Peter was born in Queenston, South Africa and received his B.A. and LL.B. at Rhodes University. He received his B.A. and M.A. in English at Cambridge.

He moved to Canada and to the University of Manitoba in 1950.

Peter was a highly regarded scholar and the author of books of criticism and a regular contributor of critical essays to books and periodicals.

His first novel, *Along That coast*, was published in 1964 and won the Doubleday Canadian Novel Prize. His second novel *Take Hands at Winter* was published in 1967 and *Runaway* was published in 1969. *Vallor*, a collection of short stories, was published in 1970.

At the time of his death, Peter had submitted two manuscripts to publishers.

Peter was the first full professor hired at this university from outside and was instrumental in setting up the honors program in English, said Dr. Anthony Jenkins (English).

In 1967 he became a founding co-editor, with Prof. Robin Skelton (Creative Writing), of the *Malahat Review*, and co-edited the international literary review for the first five years of its existence.

"He was a presence to be reckoned with," said Jenkins. "He had an incredible vocabulary and was an extremely articulate critic."

Bishop and Smith recalled Peter's wit. "He was the most articulate man I've ever met," said Smith. "His conversations were a delight."

"He was a man of considerable courage in speaking his mind and one of the wittiest critics I've ever known," said Bishop. "Of course, he could be devastating in his remarks."

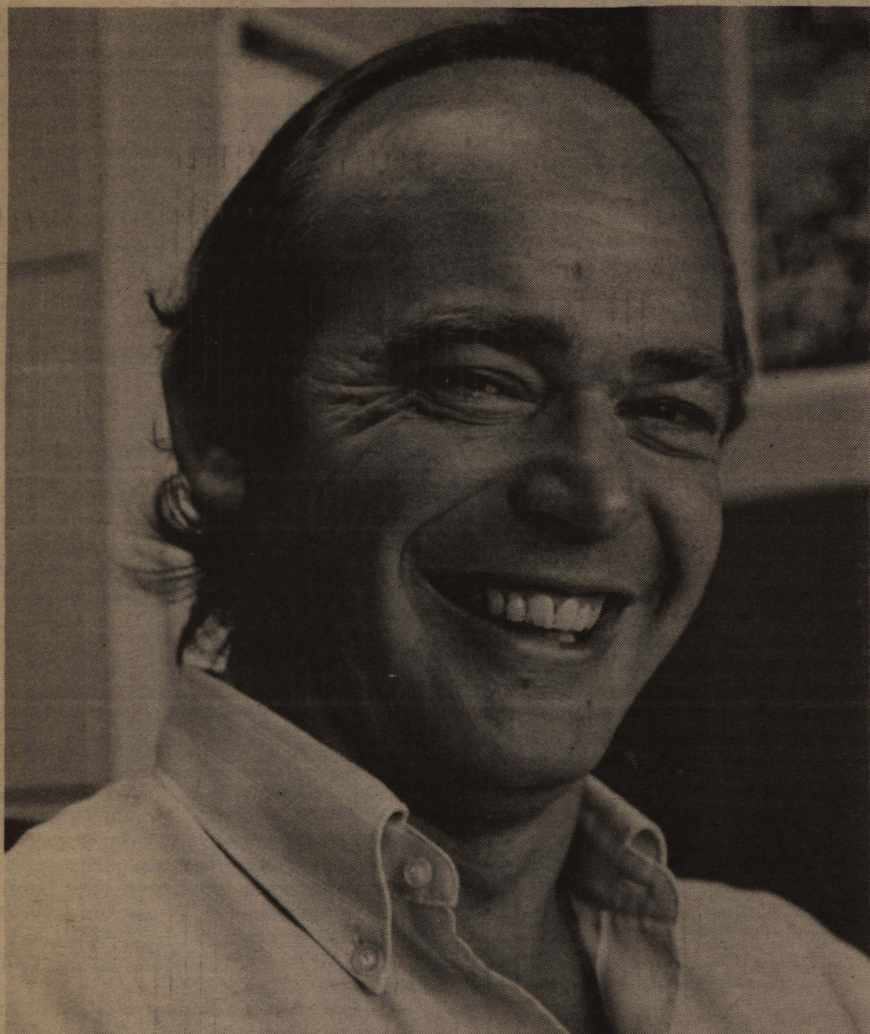
Peter was acting head of the English Department in 1967-68 after the retirement of Bishop. He was a visiting professor at the University of Wisconsin in 1964-65 and at the University of Oxford in 1966-67.

Surviving are Barbara and their children Jonathan, Kate, Chris, Nicholas and Stephanie and three grandchildren.

The English Department is inaugurating a memorial fund in recognition of Peter's contributions to the department. Further information on the fund is available from Jenkins.

B.C. Project launches first book

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Durkin photo

Ruff: more than 1,000 files collected



Wilson: more books on the way

By John Durkin

June 30th, 1983 marked the end of a \$750,000, five-year Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council (SSHRC) grant to five political science professors at UVic. The grant was used to fund the B.C. Project, a study of the changes in B.C. politics during the critical years of the 1970s.

While funding for the project may be completed, Drs. Terry Morley, Norm Ruff, Neil Swainson, Jeremy Wilson, and Walter Young are by no means finished with publication of the findings from their research.

Indeed, a confusion between the end of funding and end of the project in terms of research and publication may have prompted the author of a recent review (*Times-Colonist*, Aug. 13) of *The Reins of Power*, the first book from the group, to question the value of the project and to claim that funding had been cut off because of the small amount that had been published by the group.

"That is all hogwash", says Ruff, the coordinator of the project during the last year. "We actually got more money than initially planned."

"The initial terms of the grant were for three years with a review at the end of three years before funding would be continued. SSHRC scrutinized us very closely in the review process because by the time the three years was up, there was more of a restraint climate. However after the review we got even more money than was in our initial budget.

"I don't know where that story about the budget cut came from but we didn't want to respond because some people were already upset about the amount of money we received."

B.C. Project arose in 1976 from the conversations of the five political scientists who were discussing the significance of the NDP government which recently had been defeated by a revamped Social Credit party under Bill Bennett.

"The changes that happened in the three years of NDP government (1972-1975) seemed to be symptomatic of changes in B.C. Society", says Ruff. "We wanted to expose those changes systematically and not just to determine why the NDP had lost."

At that time SSHRC was making block funding to various projects. In addition there had been no major studies of B.C. politics even though such a study had been undertaken for most of the other provinces. The combination of availability of funds and an important but neglected area of research probably accounted for SSHRC's decision to fund B.C. Project.

The project operated from a house on Haro Road for the five years in which it received funding. Now the faculty who were involved in the project have returned to their offices in the Political Science Department.

Most of the \$750,000 was used to employ three full-time researchers and 14 students on a part-time basis. In addition each faculty member spent 18 months working for the project with 12 months of that time being sabbatical leave.

The Reins of Power, the first book length publication of the group, covers many aspects of politics in British Columbia. The book represents a cooperative effort and arose in the second year of the project when it became obvious that background information on B.C. politics was not readily available to either the general public or scholars.

Chapters in the book include analyses of the Legislature, the political parties, the role of the Premier and the Cabinet, the development and management of the Public Service, the functioning of the court and police systems in B.C., and relationships between the provincial government and other levels of government.

The publisher, Douglas & McIntyre, is obviously trying to hype the book a bit in its jacket comments by seeming to indicate that some secret information about power in provincial politics will be revealed. In fact, the book is a basic but comprehensive description of the system of government in B.C. with a considerable amount of analysis and interpretation as to how the system developed in the manner in which it did. This has necessitated discussion of events that occurred before the 1970s.

The book does not deal in any significant way with the personalities of politicians and, as a consequence, those who expect the usual equating of politics with personality may find this book somewhat dry in places. However, chapters in the book can be read independently, thus allowing those with special interests to pursue the appropriate sections.

Only the tip of the project's output

According to Ruff, the book treads a thin line between being a text book and a book for the general public. "We tried to cut down on some of the academic verbiage to make it readable", he explains.

"Since a considerable amount of public money was involved in the project, we felt that the information collected should not be the exclusive preserve of academics. We tried to present the basic issues researched by the group in a manner that is analytical but understandable."

The combination seems to have been successful. For instance, the initial order at Munro's Bookstore was sold out in two days. "The publisher's initial reading is that it is going to be a best-seller", says Ruff. The book's first run was 5000 copies.

The Reins of Power represents only the tip of the project's output. To date the staff and faculty have accumulated records of 100 interviews with senior public figures during the 1960s and 70s, 125 working papers, and more than 1,000 files on just about every aspect of B.C. politics. Many of these reports concern events that occurred well before 1970 as the 1970s could not be understood without researching earlier times.

Most of this material is housed in the MacPherson Library and is available to people through regular library services. Twenty-six of the most important papers have been stored in the Parliamentary Library in Ottawa and in other university and legislative libraries. A 100-page catalogue lists the material that is now available.

Members of the project now consider themselves to be moving from a research phase to a writing phase. "I always thought of the Project as a 10-year commitment to research and writing on B.C. politics", says Wilson, another member of the group. "Indeed all of us have several years of writing ahead of us."

Wilson's next book will be about the impact of environmentalism on B.C. natural history policy. This will be followed by a book on the provincial government's role in the development of the north.

Meanwhile Ruff is working on a major publication resulting from a symposium on B.C. politics held at UBC in June.

According to Wilson it is too early to judge the success of the project. "I feel that the project was a success but we probably won't be able to evaluate it for another five years until we see the publications."

Book revisions may be needed

The Reins of Power went to press before the May 5 provincial election in British Columbia and before the flood of controversial legislation introduced by the victorious Social Credit government this summer.

The five UVic political scientists who wrote the book could only speculate in general terms as to the nature of the political future in B.C.

Many of these speculations were very insightful says one of the authors, Dr. Jeremy Wilson. However, he believes that a revision will be necessary in a couple of years.

One of the areas of revision may have to be the approach taken in the book's Introduction, to the BC Project corrections

Until the May 5 election, Dr. Norman Ruff, for instance, saw rhetoric as "as a means of rallying the troops" rather than as an indication of serious differences in goals between the NDP and Social Credit.

Ruff thinks that this may have changed, given the results of the election and the legislation that followed. "If Bennett doesn't back down on some of this legislation, we will have to rethink our attitude toward the place of rhetoric."

"Bennett is now trying to run with a particular ideological approach. We will have to see how far he goes."

calendar

Monday, September 19th.

McPherson Library Gallery. Margaret Berry: *Imitation, Memory, Metamorphosis and Nudes*. Drawings in color and woodcuts with leaded glass. Continues until Oct. 3. Library hours are 8 a.m. to 11 p.m. Monday to Thursday, 8 a.m. to 9 p.m. Friday, 10 a.m. to 10 p.m. Saturday and Sunday.

Phoenix Theatre. *Dreams of Empire*—an exciting collection of documents outlining Canada's development from its discovery until 1700 A.D. Continues until Sept. 30. Hours are 8:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. Monday to Friday, and in conjunction with theatre performances.

Registration for Fall recreation and intramural programs continues until Sept. 23. Registration forms are available at the Athletics and Recreation Office, MCKI GYM.

a.m. Board of Governors meets. Senate TBA & Board Room, University Centre.
6:45 p.m. Cinecenta films. *Mephisto*. Admission charge. SUB Theatre.

9:15 p.m.
7:30 p.m. Faculty Association meets. Faculty Club.

Wednesday, September 21st.

Last day for adding courses which begin in the first term. All change forms must be deposited by 4 p.m. today at Records Services (undergraduates) or the Faculty of Graduate Studies (graduates).

2:30 p.m. Faculty of Law meets. BEGB 205.
7:15 p.m. Cinecenta films. Double feature. *Simon of the Desert* (Spain 1966) and *Los Olvidados* (Mexico 1950). Subtitles. Admission charge. SUB Theatre.

Thursday, September 22nd.

Maltwood Art Museum and Gallery. *Alumni Artists* (For National Universities Week). Continues until Oct. 9. Gallery hours are 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Monday to Friday, 12 noon to 4 p.m. Sunday, and during evening events at the University Centre Auditorium.

1:30 p.m. Free seminar presented by the Dept. of Physics. Dr. Douw Steyn, Dept. of Geography, UBC, will speak on "Atmospheric Motion As A Problem in Physics." ELLI 061.

7:15 p.m. Cinecenta films. *Betrayal*. Admission charge. SUB Theatre.

9:15 p.m.

Friday, September 23rd.

12:30 p.m. Fridaymusic. Free noonhour recital featuring School of Music students. MUSIC BUILDING, RECITAL HALL.

12:30 p.m. Faculty of Human and Social Development meets. CORN B145.

3:30 p.m. Faculty of Arts and Science meets. ELLI 167.

7:15 p.m. Cinecenta films. *48 Hours*. Admission charge. SUB Theatre.

Saturday, September 24th.

9:00 a.m. Orientation '83 Car Rally. Registration forms are available at the SUB General Office.

7:15 p.m. Cinecenta films. *Quadrophenia*. & 9:15 p.m. Admission charge. SUB Theatre.

Sunday, September 25th.

1:00 p.m. Weekly Sunday matinees presented by University Daycare Services. *Peter Pan*. Tickets are \$1.50 for children and students, \$2.50 general admission. SUB Theatre.
& 3:00 p.m.

2:00 p.m. School of Music Faculty Recital. University of Victoria Little Orchestra—George Corwin, conductor. All tickets are \$3, with proceeds to benefit the Victoria Symphony Orchestra. McPherson Playhouse.

7:15 p.m. Cinecenta films. *Quadrophenia*. & 9:15 p.m. Admission charge. SUB Theatre.

Monday, September 26th.

12:30 p.m. Lansdowne Lecture Series. Dr. Brian Sutton-Smith, University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, Pa., will speak on "New Concepts of Play: Paraguide." Free and open to the public. MCKI 150.

7:00 p.m. Cinecenta films. *Circle of Deceit*. & 9:15 p.m. (Germany 1981). Subtitles. Admission charge. SUB Theatre.

8:15 p.m. The University Extension Association Program presents Dr. John Oleson, Dept. of Classics, UVic, speaking on "Underwater Archaeology at Caesarea, Israel." Fees are \$5 per year (10 lectures), or \$1 per lecture. Students free. BEGB 159.

Tuesday, September 27th.

7:30 p.m. Lansdowne Lecture Series. Dr. Brian Sutton-Smith (see above) will speak on "How Children Develop Through Games." Free and open to the public. CLER C112.

Wednesday, September 28th.

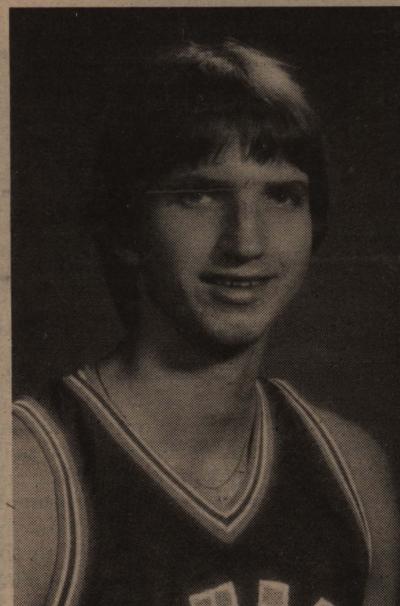
7:15 p.m. Cinecenta films. Double feature. *The Exterminating Angel* (Mexico 1962) and *Diary of a Chambermaid* (France 1964). Subtitles. Admission charge. SUB Theatre.

7:30 p.m. Lansdowne Lecture Series. Dr. Brian Sutton-Smith (see above) will speak on "The Role of Toys in the Modern World (Or Are Video Games Fatal?)." Free and open to the public. CLER C112.

Filming of a two-hour, made-for-TV movie based on the novel, *Gentle Sinners*, by Prof. W.D. Valgardson, chairman of Creative Writing, took place in Manitoba during the summer. The CBC-TV project, directed by Eric Till is the most recent of more than a half-dozen of Valgardson's works to be translated into video and film. *Gentle Sinners* is the most elaborate treatment to date. A 1981 film based on Valgardson's short story, *The Catch*, has won four honors including the Ohio State Award. The National Film Board's *The Pedlar*, based on his short story by the same name, premiered on television in June and has received high praise. "It's that rarest of productions from the National Film Board—a bona fide drama. It's a sensitive treatment of a fine short story by an under-appreciated Canadian writer—W.D. Valgardson," comments Rick Groen in *The Globe and Mail*.

Dr. Clare Porac (Psychology) is looking for people who do not wear glasses or contact lenses, especially left-handed people, to participate in a series of experiments in visual perception. Volunteers can earn up to \$50 if they meet the requirements. Further information is available by calling the Visual Perception laboratories in the Psychology Department at 721-8596.

Philip John Stooke, entering his third year of studies in a Geography major program at UVic, has been awarded a \$1,000 (U.S.) scholarship by the National Council for Geographical Education. Of 10 awards funded by this organization, only one is made available to Canadian students.



Kazanowski: tries out with pros

Gerald Kazanowski, who graduated from UVic in May, is a rarity among Canadian athletes. The Nanaimo native who starred for five years as the centre for the UVic Vikings, Canadian university champions for the past four years, has been drafted by the National Basketball Association (NBA) Utah Jazz. What makes his selection unusual is the fact that he has played his entire university career in Canada, away from the high-profile American colleges. Kazanowski, a member of the Canadian national team which won the gold medal in the world university games in Edmonton and participated in the Pan-American Games in Venezuela during the summer, goes to the rookie and free-agent camp of the Jazz in Salt Lake City Sept. 25 to 29. He was one of five Canadians chosen in the NBA draft and the only one not to play basketball at a U.S. college. Should Kazanowski surprise and survive the rookie camp and the regular camp to make the team, he will be faced with a tough decision—whether to turn professional this year or wait until after the 1984 Olympics in Los Angeles.

Alix Kent, entering her second year of Law studies at UVic in September, is the 1983 B.C. women's road race cycling champion. She won the title on a very hilly 72-kilometre course at Fort Langley, June 26, finishing almost three minutes ahead of the field. Kent is coached by Greg McCallum who teaches courses in cycling through the Recreation and Intramurals program at UVic. McCallum enrolls in graduate studies in counselling at UVic in September.

Tenders for construction of a \$15.3 million Science and Engineering Complex linking the Cunningham and Elliott Buildings are expected to be called early in October. Construction should start by the end of 1983, with the building ready for occupancy by mid-1985. The 6,200-square-metre complex will contain space for the Department of Biochemistry and Microbiology, now located in former army huts, as well as provide a permanent home for UVic's new Faculty of Engineering. Engineering will be temporarily housed in part of 'L' Hut and in space in the Campus Services Building formerly occupied by a campus branch of the Bank of Montreal. Renovations to that space are now being carried out.

The first new series dinner of the Fall takes place Sept. 29 at the Golden Horse Restaurant, 546 Fisgard Street. Cost is \$12.50 for a gourmet Chinese meal. A minimum of 20 people is needed and any interested faculty or staff members must confirm their reservation by Sept. 21 with Dr. Gerhart Friedmann (Physics) at local 7702.

Students who have been shining shoes on campus today to raise funds to fight Cystic Fibrosis will take the Shinerama campaign to downtown Victoria Sept. 17. All students are urged to participate with free transportation from the Student Union Building (SUB) at 8:30 a.m. Free doughnuts and coffee are supplied and shiners are admitted free to the Shinerama Dance at 9 p.m. in the Commons Block.

Dr. C.R. Miers (Mathematics) presented a paper entitled "Finite Group Actions on Non-associative Rings" at the NATO Advanced Study Institute in Antwerp, Belgium, August 2 to 12.

The Friends of Gravity, UVic's "service club with a smile" will be showing Cheech and Chong's *Up in Smoke* Sept. 20 at 7:15 and 9:15 p.m. Tickets are \$2 for students and \$2.50 for non-students.

The Faculty Club is holding an open house Sept. 20 from 4 to 6 p.m. to give new faculty and staff members an opportunity to see what the club has to offer. Refreshments and snacks will be available and there will be an opportunity to meet club members and staff. Club members are also welcome at the open house.

And you thought throwing a frisbee was a mild form of harmless recreation for sunny days on beaches and playgrounds. The 1983 UVic Open Frisbee Championships Sept. 17 and 18 will feature men and women who have made frisbee-throwing into a high-level competition. The two-day event serves as a qualifying tournament for the 1984 World Disc Championships in Santa Cruz, California. Men's and women's events include freestyle and disc golf competition in addition to demonstrations in junior, open and masters categories. Competitors include frisbee wizards from Washington State as well as top B.C. talent.

Thousands of runners, joggers and strollers are expected to invade the campus this weekend for the third annual Terry Fox Run to raise money to fight cancer. The run, Sept. 18, begins at Centennial Stadium with participants choosing between three-km and 10-km routes. Entry forms are available at the stadium from 8:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. Sept. 18. Those with wheelchairs, roller skates and bicycles will start at 10 a.m. with a mass start for everyone else at 10:30 a.m. In 1982, 4,000 people participated in the run in Victoria, raising \$45,000. Across Canada about 200,000 people got involved and raised \$2.4 million. The run commemorates the remarkable achievement of Terry Fox who, in 1980, ran half-way across Canada and raised \$24 million for cancer research. Fox died June 28, 1981, at the age of 22. T.W. O'Connor, manager of Traffic and Security, says the Ring Road will be closed from 9:45 to 11:30 a.m. Sept. 18 for the run. Access to all parking lots inside the Ring Road will not be possible. The University bus route will be slightly changed during this period, but all other bus service to the campus will be normal.

Notebook

The publication schedule for the Ring has been changed this fall. In place of the Ring issues of Sept. 30 and Oct. 7, a special President's Report will be distributed on campus and in the community. The Ring schedule will include newspapers on Sept. 23 and Oct. 14 when the Ring goes back to its normal weekly production schedule.

Anyone wishing to publicize an event on campus between Sept. 23 and Oct. 14 in the Calendar section of the Ring should have complete information to Cindy Lowe of Information Services by Sept. 20.

For those new to the campus, the Ring is the university newspaper published by Information Services, with a policy of providing fair and accurate coverage of all aspects of university life. Our readership includes students, staff and faculty as well as many off-campus people. We welcome comments on our coverage and suggestions for stories. Letters will be published if signed and not libellous, but may be edited to meet space requirements.

There are many exciting events scheduled for 1983-84, including National Universities Week Oct. 2 to 8 and celebrations marking UVic's 21st birthday in 1984.

To assist us in covering these and other events, the staff of Information Services is pleased to again have the contributions of Edith Knott and John Durkin to the Ring. Edith is a part-time employee and student at UVic while John is a Ph.D. student in the School of Physical Education. Both have been prolific feature writers for the publication.

The staff of the Ring wishes students, staff and faculty at UVic an enjoyable and profitable 1983-84 academic year.

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